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PAW PAW, VAN BUREN COUNTY, MICHIGAN, FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 1903.

Whole Number 2505.

Carpets, Linoleums, Matting, Drapery Curtains, Lace Curtains and Shades.

We are thoroughly equipped with complete lines of Merchandise consisting of the above.

We are showing a practically new line of Carpets in the Celebrated Lowell and Hartford Ingrains and the Wash Granite Carpeting.

The latter are 36 in. wide, come in a choice line of patterns and colors and priced at 25c.

Hartford Art Squares, all wool.

Crown Art Squares, one-half wool.

Our carpets are all cut from the roll and you get just what you purchase.

No vexatious delay from ordering from sample.

China and Japan Matting, 12c, 18c, 25c.

Linoleums in 2 yard and 4 yard wide; nice lot of patterns. Let us talk with you before you purchase, for we know we can make it an object to buy of us.

Door Draperies in a fine range of colors and qualities; prices moderate.

LACE CURTAINS. We make a grand showing of these goods and offer some downright bargains. Prices from 48c per pair to \$6.00.

Curtain Poles, Fixtures, Window Shades, etc.

W. R. SELICK.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PAW PAW.

The Oldest and Only National Bank in Van Buren County.

Capital \$100,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits 25,000
Additional Liability of Shareholders 100,000
Total Responsibility \$225,000
3 Per Cent Interest Paid On Time Deposits.

BANKERS AND MONEY LOANERS.

The Paw Paw Savings Bank.

Wm. J. SELICK, President.
J. J. WOODMAN, Vice President.
J. W. FREE, Cashier.

Commencing November 1st, 1902, 3 per cent interest will be paid on NEW Time Certificates of Deposit.

Money to loan on real estate. E. F. PARKS.

R. E. Jennings, Paw Paw. Inspector of Securities for Michigan Mutual Life Insurance Company.

\$25,000 To Loan At 5 per cent on real estate. W. J. BARNARD.

UNDERTAKERS.

R. A. Shoemith, residence 57 Pine St., just west of Presbyterian church. [54tf]

Thompson Furniture Co. Furniture and Undertaking. Night calls answered, corner St. Joseph and LaGraves sts. Kibbie 'phone [2385]

A Chance to Save Money.

33 YEARS IN PAW PAW

I have a large stock of Marble and Granite, all as good material as money will buy. Some 30 monuments, large and small, I shall offer for 60 days at very close to actual cost. Terms made easy. Paw Paw Marble and Granite works. I. A. WHITMAN.

LAWYERS.

W. J. Barnard.

Attorney at law. Office opposite court house, Paw Paw. [2389]

David Anderson—Lawyer. All business given prompt and careful attention. Office over Paw Paw Savings Bank.

A. Lynn Free—Lawyer. Office over Avery's store, Paw Paw, Michigan.

Osborn, Mills & Master. Attorneys at Law. Offices, Academy of Music Block, Kalamazoo, Michigan. Can supply loans on good real estate.

Lincoln H. Titus. Attorney at Law.—Abstract Building.—Law, Insurance and Collections

MISCELLANEOUS.

The leading fire insurance companies represented by E. F. PARKS.

Geo. L. Bruner. Contractor and building mover, all kinds of plain and fancy stone work done. Will take contracts for all kinds of building and repairing and furnish everything. Satisfaction guaranteed. I sell and set up Snow Bros. furnaces. Kibbie phone at residence. Geo. L. BRUNER.

R. E. Chappell. GRADUATE OPTICIAN. Eyes promptly fitted and warranted satisfactory. At G. E. Chappell's jewelry store, Paw Paw, Mich. [90tf]

Woman's Exchange. Call at the Woman's Exchange for home made baking. All orders promptly filled. Delivering done. Both 'phones. THE MISSISS ROSE.

The Wolverine Nursery. A complete line of guaranteed stock at moderate prices. G. E. PRATER, JR., Prop., 2499tf Paw Paw, Mich.

Notice. All who have base ball suits belonging to the high school are requested to leave them at J. H. Wall's candy kitchen at once. tl*

Lost! Lost! Monday afternoon, a red morocco pocket ledger somewhere between Paw Paw and Gobleville. The book has owner's name inside of cover, and several accounts which are valuable to owner. Finder please leave at Dyckman House or at hotel at Gobleville and receive reward. tl*

E. M. BAILEY.

FOR SALE. Six month old pigs, also cow. Farm opposite Milton Coy. 412*

Farm for Sale Cheap. Thirty acres section 12 Pine Grove township, fair buildings, well improved good grape land; must be sold. Address L. H. Brooks, Marshall, Mich. 04tf

Owing to inability to till it, I offer my large garden of 9½ acres of very choice land, with two barns and a good house in this village, for sale. G. P. LINDERMAN.

Good work horse for sale. 02tf FRANK J. WEBB.

Plaster for Sale. E. S. Stevens at Paw Paw has plaster for sale. 201tf

Good 1-year-old Palmetto Asparagus Roots for sale. 2502tf FRANK J. WEBB.

For Sale, Grape Juice Stock. More safe and will pay a better interest than farm lands. Please call. Office over E. B. Longwell's store. W. A. LEMAUX.

Grape Vines for Sale. I have 10,000 Joslyn's No. 2 Concord at \$18. tl H. C. WATERS.

For Sale. 25 bushels good potatoes only 45c per bushel, single bushel or whole lot. tl* Mrs. MUR, Gremps and Paw Paw st.

For Sale. Two cows, one yearling and various household articles. tl R. A. SHOEMITH.

For Sale or Exchange. 100 acres of land 3¼ miles east of Grayling, 40 acres improved. House and barn on place. School house on the land. Address, B. W. HIPP, Paw Paw, Mich. t3

WANTED. WANTED IMMEDIATELY, resort property to rent or sell, and stocked farms, as I have some patrons listed for such property. MRS. MARY S. COLBURN.

Wanted. E. S. Stevens has purchased the elevator at Lawrence for the Stockbridge Elevator Co. and is ready to buy all kinds of grain and corn. Same at the Paw Paw elevator as usual. Also 9 good cows for sale. [93tf]

WANTED. Bean Pickers. Armour & Co.

DENTISTS.

W. C. Y. Ferguson, D. D. S.

Dental Parlors.

All operations, including Crown and Bridge work, rendered as painless as possible. Office in Longwell Block, Paw Paw, Mich.

O. E. Lanphear, D. D. S. Over Tyler's, Paw Paw. Kibbie 'phone. At Lawrence Mondays only.

Dr. C. V. Carpenter's Unique Dental Parlors, over Quatermas' store. Open from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. Friday and Saturday of each week. Teeth filled and extracted positively without pain. Kibbie 'phone. [tf]

Jottings.

L. E. Shepard is ill of a gripe. Arba Hawley is working in the post office.

John Baker is building an addition on his house.

Born, Thursday, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shears, a son.

Mrs. Thomas Tuckey has been quite ill of the grip.

W. L. Miller is making improvements on his residence.

Work is in progress grading the new court house yard.

Mrs. Eliza Roach has moved into Mrs. Hogmire's house.

Emory Ball is confined to the house on account of sickness.

Geo. Harrison is confined to the house on account of sickness.

Chas. Scott has purchased Jos. Davey's shop building on west Main street.

A. W. Cummings has carpenters at work putting an addition on his residence.

Mrs. J. H. Desmond is slowly improving from a severe sickness of pneumonia.

Wm. and Claude Snow have purchased 20 acres of fruit land from J. J. Woodman.

J. W. Free has greatly improved the looks of his premises by removing the fence.

The board of education has voted to retain all the teachers who desire to remain another year.

Rev. L. P. Bates will address a local option meeting at the Lee school house, Thursday evening, April 2.

Mrs. J. H. Rennie writes home from Battle Creek that her husband is no better, but remains seriously ill.

M. D. Boskirk has purchased 40 acres of E. L. Moe and 40 acres of Mr. Van Auker, two miles west of town.

New boarders at the county jail are John Otten and Loren Wise, both on a charge of drunk and disorderly.

A reception was given at E. O. Mather's home Tuesday to his Sunday school class. A good time was enjoyed.

At the teachers' examination yesterday there were 81 applicants for certificates present, of whom 71 were ladies.

Rev. L. A. Miller will address a local option meeting at the Gliddenburg school house, Wednesday evening, April 1.

Advertised letters: Miss Ethel Shawe, Mrs. Margaret Crippen, D. O. Sproat, Harry Odell, Jersey Silk Mill and Chas. Upham 2.

Married, at the M. E. parsonage, March 26, by Rev. E. O. Mather, Harvey Roy Clark of Glenn and Miss Marie Matilda Fortine of South Haven.

Dr. G. Frank Young of South Haven, who arrived at the home of his parents last week, is rapidly convalescing from his severe sickness of typhoid fever.

Chas. D. Leach has purchased part of the old Van Fossen building on the court house square, and will move it to his lot west of the river for a residence.

T. C. Elce of Clinton, Mo., has purchased the A. Lynn Free place in the north-west part of the village and will occupy it at once. D. H. Walker, real estate agent, made the sale.

A good congregation attended the union service at the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening, and listened to an excellent local option address by Rev. J. A. Pierce of South Haven.

The many friends of Harry Folsom, who is attending college at Ann Arbor, will be pleased to know that he has been chosen out of a lot of 30 students to play on the varsity base ball nine as 3rd baseman.

A fair audience was out Wednesday evening at the opera house, to listen to the local option address by Rev. S. C. Strickland of Kalamazoo. Nathan Thomas presided over the meeting. Music was furnished by a double quartette of mixed voices.

G. R. Taylor is about to make some fine improvements in his barber shop. He will occupy the entire front of the building, giving him a large, light room, and will put in new furniture and a hot water heating plant. Mr. Conner will put a new plate glass front in the building.

Jay D. Roberts, by Cook & Donovan, his attorneys, has begun an action on the case against the South Haven and Eastern R. R. Co., laying his damages at the sum of \$20,000. He alleges that a train on said railroad negligently collided with a vehicle in which he was crossing the track in the city of South Haven, injuring him so severely that amputation of his right leg became necessary. He claims that the train was moving rapidly and that no warning was given by ringing the bell or blowing the whistle as required by statute.

At the council meeting Monday night claims were allowed amounting to \$493.27, the newly elected president and trustees took their seats on the board and H. A. Cole was elected to fill the vacancy left by Trustee Titus, who resigned. Mr. Cole has since declined. At a special meeting Tuesday, H. W. Showerman was elected as trustee, but he also declined, and there is still a vacancy on the board.

Wednesday afternoon a reception was given by Miss Mabelle Cummings at her home in honor of the grand worthy matron of the Eastern Star lodge, Hattie G. Derthick of Ionia, the invitations being limited to the officers of the lodge. Miss Jane Broughton assisted. In the evening at a regular meeting of the lodge, D. Anderson and Amanda Andrews were given the degrees of the order. The Hartford and Lawrence chapters were present, besides many other visitors, making in all 60 guests. After the work was finished, a fine banquet was served in B. F. Heckert's office, the Philharmonic orchestra furnishing the music. The tables were elegantly decorated and each was presided over by a host. Mrs. Atwood, past worthy matron of the South Haven lodge, gave an address, as did also the grand worthy matron, both of which were much appreciated. On behalf of the Paw Paw lodge, R. W. Broughton presented the grand worthy matron with a souvenir spoon as a slight remembrance. At 1 o'clock the meeting adjourned, all having enjoyed the evening.

Personals.

Will Welch left for Detroit, Wednesday.

Miss Hill will spend next week in Plainwell.

E. G. Thayer is at the Battle Creek sanitarium.

Lawyer Bessey of South Haven was in Paw Paw, Tuesday.

Fred Mosier and family of Decatur spent Sunday in Paw Paw.

Grace Grout returns from Ypsilanti to-night for a week's vacation.

Miss Maud Reeves of Cassopolis is visiting at the home of J. H. Wilson.

Leo Warner has been spending a few days at the sanitarium at Battle Creek.

Mrs. Frank Pritchard of Midland is visiting friends and relatives in Paw Paw.

D. B. Allen of Covert was in Paw Paw, Wednesday, in the interest of local option.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Potter are getting settled in their new home on south Niles street.

Royce Kelley of West Lawrence was a caller at The True Northerner office, Monday.

Mrs. Maud Pritchard of Chicago is spending a few days at the home of Pearl Pritchard.

W. C. Wilkey is in the sanitarium at Battle Creek, recuperating from an attack of the grip.

Wm. G. Conkey of Bowling Green, Ohio, attended the funeral of his uncle, H. K. Halstead, Sunday.

Claude Young of Big Rapids and Frank Bell of Kalamazoo, spent Sunday at the home of H. W. McCabe.

Miss Elizabeth Whitman returned from Big Rapids, Wednesday, after completing her course in the Ferris institute.

Miss Nina Waters, who is attending college at Ann Arbor, was in Paw Paw, Sunday, to attend the funeral of her grandfather, H. K. Halstead.

Mrs. L. L. Conkey and daughter Opal of Grand Rapids spent Sunday in Paw Paw, having been called here to attend the funeral of H. K. Halstead.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Oenbock have moved to their farm one-half mile east of town. Mr. Oenbock will continue in his position with Armour & Co.

Announcements.

Republican caucus to-morrow. Fr. Carlson will hold service in Bangor, Sunday.

There will be service at St. Mark's church at 10:30 a. m., Sunday.

The Presbyterian rummage sale has been postponed to the week following Easter.

The Coterie banquet will be held at the opera house April 8. The reception will be at Mrs. O'Leary's.

The Epworth league of the M. E. church will hold a literary meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. John Engle.

The rummage sale has moved to first door east of Tyler's store, and will be open the rest of this week. Home made baked goods will be for sale Thursday and Saturday.

There will be a mass meeting of the citizens of Paw Paw in the M. E. church Sunday evening in the interest of local option. The meeting will be addressed by L. H. Titus and J. J. Woodman.

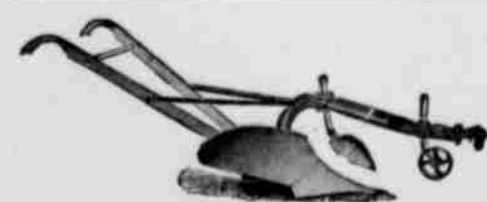
There will be an all day township temperance rally at Almena M. E. church, Saturday, April 4. Picnic dinner, good music, exercises by the school children, and plenty of good speaking are features of interest. Everybody is invited.

Bills printed at The True Northerner office announce for C. A. Sherrod, administrator of the estate of Miles F. Beebe, an auction sale of horses, cattle, sheep and farm property, Thursday, April 2, 4½ miles north-west of Paw Paw; H. W. McCabe, auctioneer.

Some Facts About Paint.

There are a few good brands of mixed paints on the market. There are hundreds of them worth about 50 cents on the dollar. There are a very few paints that have been made good enough to retain their original name. There are scores of them that are obliged to change names about once in 4 or 5 years.

Lakey's paints are at the top of quality's ladder. They have been made and sold since 1874 under the same brand; no other paint factory in the United States can truthfully say as much of their paint. Lakey paint is made from carbonate of lead, oxide of zinc and linseed oil, in proportions that make the best paint for looks, durability, covering capacity and ease of applying. No brand of paint made will take as much oil as Lakey's. Every 5 gallon tub will take from one to two gallons. For ten years we have been selling this paint in Paw Paw; for ten years we have been using EVERY HONORABLE MEANS to increase our paint trade. We are not disappointed with results. We have confidence in our goods; we know that we have the best; we know that we have the purest and most lasting mixed paint ever sold in Paw Paw. The price on our paint is \$1.40 per gallon. Some may be cheaper, but none can be any better.



Buy a Syracuse Plow and you BUY THE BEST.

Best because they do the best work and do it easier. The No. 31 steel plow is the most popular plow in Michigan. It goes through muck "just like grease." It's second to none in stubble, in sod, in gravel or sand. It's the world's best and it's but \$14.00. It costs more than some, but it's because its better. Try one. If you're not convinced, we want it back.

The Syracuse Grape Hoe, The Fruit Man's Necessity. If you raise grapes or berries, it's not economy to be without one. They're but \$10.00 and the labor saved each year is more than this.

Bessell Vineyard Plow, with adj. handles \$5.00. We sell them low so that we may sell many of them. We sell the Vineyard Plow made at Greenville by Moore. It's improvements are a 4 inch higher wheel and 3 inch higher standards, which makes it easier to turn under tall weeds or rye. The points and mouldboard are changeable with the old Greenville Gang. Our price is \$18.00, full terms.

We believe it's the best. Try one and if you don't think so return it.

We never sacrifice quality to gain a price point. If an article is not good we do not sell it.

H. C. Waters & Co.
PAW PAW, MICHIGAN.